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Dear Sir:

Applicants filed a response to the Office Action on March 28, 2003, i.e., 16 months ago. They contacted the Examiner and Supervisory Examiner on March 10, and 11, 2004, and were promised a prompt follow up.

None has been received. Applicants do not understand the reason for the delay and would appreciate, at the least, the courtesy of a response with an explanation.

Respectfully submitted,

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